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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : HOWARD M. MARKS, ET AL)
Serial No. : 09/944,533)
Filed : 31 August 2001)
For : GAMING APPARATUS AND METHOD)
INCLUDING BONUS FEATURES)
Examiner : White, Carmen D.)

Group 3714

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the first Office Action dated December 20, 2002, the applicants submit the following amendment and remarks. Re-examination and reconsideration is requested.